



2021
Bluestem Award



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2021 Illinois Bluestem Readers' Choice Award Nominees Master List

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>Publisher</u>	<u>Year</u>
Ambrose Deception, The	Emily Ecton/Gilbert Ford	Little, Brown and Company	2018
Animals by the Numbers: a book of infographics	Steve Jenkins	Harcourt Children's Books	2016
Bob	Wendy Mass/Rebecca Stead/Nicholas Gannon	Feiwel and Friends	2018
Chester Nez and the Unbreakable Code: a Navajo talker's story	Joseph Bruchac/Liz Amini-Holmes	Albert Whitman & Company	2018
Click	Kayla Miller	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	2019
Curiosity: the story of a Mars rover	Markus Motum	Candlewick Press	2018
Dash of Trouble, A	Anna Meriano/Mirelle Ortega	Walden Pond Press	2018
Finding Langston	Lesa Cline-Ransome	Holiday House	2018
Hope in the Holler	Lisa Lewis Tyre	Nancy Paulsen Books	2018
Lifeboat 12	Susan Hood	Simon & Schuster	2018
Max & the Midnights	Lincoln Peirce	Crown Publishing Group	2019
Otis and Will Discover the Deep: the record setting dive of the Bathysphere	Barb Rosenstock/Katherine Roy	Little, Brown and Company	2018
Power Forward: Chasing the Dream	Hena Khan/Sally Wern Comport	Salaam Reads	2018
Sergeant Reckless: the true story of the little horse who became a hero	Patricia McCormick/Iacopo Bruno	Balzer & Bray	2017
Stef Soto, Taco Queen	Jennifer Torres	Little, Brown and Company	2017
Strongheart: wonder dog of the silver screen	Candace Fleming/Eric Rohmann	Schwartz and Wade	2018
Undefeated, The	Kwame Alexander/Kadir Nelson	Versify	2019
Van Gogh Deception (The Lost Art Mysteries), The	Deron R. Hicks	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	2017
Wedgie & Gizmo	Suzanne Selfors/Barbara Fisinger	Katherine Tegen Books	2017
Whole New Ballgame, A	Phil Bildner/Tim Probert	Farrar Straus Giroux	2015